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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
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OVER A COMPUTER NETWORK)Technology Center 2600
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PETITION FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(a)

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Sir:

On March 24, 2004, the undersigned filed a Request for Continued Suspension regarding the above-identified application. It now appears that the Request was misplaced in the Patent Office and was not matched with the file.

Enclosed is a copy of the Request along with a stamped post card receipt showing that it was filed on March 24, 2004.

As set forth in the Request, the present application is part of the bankruptcy estate of the Assignee, NetFax, Inc. The sale of the estate is now scheduled for the end of July, 2004. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this application remain suspended until September 1, 2004, or until such shorter time as needed to complete the sale.

This further Request for Continued Suspension has been authorized by the Trustee of the
bankruptcy estate.

Respectfully submitted,

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